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NEW TRUSTEE AND HONORARY TRUSTEE AT THE CLEVELAND MUSEUM OF ART

Two new positions on the Board of Trustees of The Cleveland Museum of Art were announced today by the president of the Board, Alton W. Whitehouse.

Michael Sherwin, president of Mid-West Forge Corporation, has been elected to the Board, and James D. Ireland, a member of the Board since 1964, has decided to retire from active service and has been elected an honorary trustee.

Michael Sherwin is a native of Cleveland and a graduate of The Hotchkiss School, Lehigh University, and the Wharton Graduate Division of the University of Pennsylvania. He began his business career in Cleveland at National City Bank and was for more than a dozen years president of venture capital subsidiaries of National City Corporation. He serves as director of several privately and publicly owned companies, and is chairman and chief executive officer of The Columbiana Boiler Company. Mr. Sherwin has served on the Museum's Advisory Council since 1978. He and his wife, Carol, live in Moreland Hills.

James D. Ireland is former Chairman of the Board of Peerless Eagle Coal Company. During his tenure on the Museum's Board of Trustees, he served on its Finance, Accessions, and Education committees. He was the Museum's representative to The Medical Center Co. from 1972 until his retirement from the Board. Mr. Ireland lives with his wife, Cornelia, in Cleveland Heights.

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